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HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. MEETING of MEMBERS intending Subscribers for, or those interested in. SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS for the next ANNUAL MEETING, will be held in the Hongkons. HOTEL on WEDNESDAY next, the 21st inst. at 4 PM

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 17th August, 1895.

NORTH BORNEO REVENUE FARMS TENDERS will be received by SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR, Sandakan, on or before 30th NOVEMBER next, for, the following REVENUE FARMS for 1896 :---

Opium Farm, North Borneo, East Coast. Spirit License Farm, North Bornes, Alcock (Kudat). Pawnbroking Farm, North Bornso Duties, North Bornen.

Market Dues, North Borneo only. TENDERS for these Farms may be made for the whole of the District Province or for each District and Province separately. For Particulars apply to the liongkong or Singapore Agents of the British North Borneo

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THE STANDARD

LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

FIGHE next Division of Profits will be as at 15th November. 1895. and "with profits", l'olicies taken out before that date will rank for one Year's Bonus.

FUNDS, 28,000,000.

Send for Prospectus and Proposal Forms, DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong. [a1378-1716

17th August, 1895. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

TO-DAY(SATURDAY), 17TH AUGUST, 1895, at 2.45 P.M. COMPETITION—SHORT RANGECUP Ranges. 200 and 300 Yards. By Order of the Board of Directors.

Saven and One Sighting at each Distance. Entrance Fee, Thirty Conts. G. K. MOORE. Hongkong, 17th August, 1895.

PUBLIC AUCTION:

FETHE Undersigned has received Instructions from H.M. NAVAL STOREKEEPER to

PUBLIC AUCTION WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of SEPTEMBEE,

1895, at Noun. Bt H.M. NAVAL YARD. SUNDRY NAVAL AND VICTUALLING CONDEMNED STORES. OLD IRON, PAPER STUFF, RAGS

CANVAS, BUNTINGS (Old Flags for De coration Furposes), STORES, CLOTHING, One BOILER, Locomofive Type, 80 h.p. 60 lbs. Working Starm Pressure

TERMS-OF SALE -- As Customiry J. M. ARMSTRONG, Hongsong, 17th August, 1895, DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

ITABE Steamship. "NAMOA."

Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above. Ports on TUESDAY, the 20th instant, at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPITATE & Co.,

General Managers. Honokope. 17th August, 1895. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer TANTALUS

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases i will he at Consigness risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 19th just. Goods undelivered after the 24th inst. w be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Gadowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 26th inst. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, 16th August, 1895. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO.; LIMITED:

CHEAP EXCURSION TO MACAO, EATHER Permitting, the Steamer "HONAM" will make a Special trip to MACAO TOMORROW (SUNDAY), 18th Avoyer, leaving Hongkons at 9'in the morn ing, and returning will leave Macao at 10 PM. In the afternoon there will be a Graud' Religious Procession in bonour of the 7th Centenary of Saint Anthony and in the evening a Fancy Fair and Pyrotechnic Display." RETURN FARE \$2. No Second Class or

Single Fares. TICKETS may be obtained at the Company's Office or on the Steamer before leaving. C TOMLIN.

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 12th August, 1895. [1690 DIOCEBAN SCHOOL & ORPHANAGE.

CHOOL DUTLES, will be resumed on. MONDAY, 19th August. For Terms for Boarders or Day Scholars.

THE HEAD MASTER. Hongkong, 16th August, 1885 DUINART PERE & FILS, REIMS.

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Hongkong, 17th May, 1895.

ENTERTAINMENT.

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R. R. G. G. BRADY begs to Announce that he will give a REWELL CONCERT in Aid of the Funds of the Kowloon Institute THIS EVENING

OITY HALL

SATURDAY), 17th August, 1895. at 9 P.M. Precisely. Several Ladies and Gentlemen have kindly consented to assist. TICK ETS can be obtained of Mesers. KELLY WALSH.

PRICES \$2 and \$1. Soldiers and Sailors Half Prico. Hongkong 7th August, 1895.

LESSONS IN FR. NCH. TEW and Fasy METHOD OF LEARN-ING FRENCH in a Few Months,

1717 mainly by Conversation, by a Frenchman. Fees cerv moderate. Apply to care of this Paper.

Hongkong, 7th, August, 1895. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION.

THE Dividend d clared for the Half-Year ending 30th June last, at the Rate Costoms Farm of Import and Export of ONE POUND AND FIVE SHILLINGS STEELING (£15/-) per Share of \$125 is PAYABLE on Gambling Restriction, for North Borneo and after MONDAY, the 12th instant, at the Offices of the Conporation, where Share-Blacket Dass, North Borneo only. By Order of the Court of Directors.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 12th August, 1595.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED. THE CERTIFICATES of TWO HUN-

I DRED and FIFTY SHABES in this, COMPANY numbered as follows .---No. 580 for 100 Shares, numbered 10,731/10,830 

standing in the Register in the name of BENTTO LEGARDA, of MARIEL, having been lost Notice is hereby given that three New Certificates for the said Shares will be issaed Fourrers Days hones, and that the Original Certificates, unless produced within that period, will thereafter be held by the Company as null and void.

A. H. MANCELL.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1895. THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE CERTIFICATE No. 1,157 for FIVE SHARES numbered 7,751 to 7,755, standing in the Register in the Name of WONG TAT IING, having been Declared LOST, Notice is hereby given that unless the said Certificate be produced on or before the 31st August, 1895. a new Certificate for the said Shares will be issued and the old Certificate will thereafter be hold by the Society as null and void.

Hougkong, 13th August, 1895.

AUCTIONS

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PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received Instructions to Seli by PUBLIC AUCTION.

(SATURDAY), the 17th August, 1895, st II AM,

at the CENTRAL POLICE STATION. A QUANTITY OF UNSERVICEABLE.-UNCLAIMED, AND CONFISCATED STORES. Comprising :-

UNIFORMS, GREAT COATS, CAPES PROUSERS. TUNICS. STOCKINGS. SHOES, BLANKETS, &c. REVOLVERS. AMMUNITION WORDS, &c. SUNDRY STORES, &c., &c.,

TERMS OF SALE .- As Customary. J. M. AHMBTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 16th August, 1895

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received Instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. TO DAY

(SATURDAY), the 17th August, 1895. at 2.80 P.M. C. C. t the Residence of S. B. J. SKERTCRLY, Esq. No. 12, KNUSTFORD TERRACE/KOWLOOM. The Whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., Comprising: -

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Ode COOKING RANGE. Une FORGE One PANCEAST

TERMS OF SALE: - As Customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, 13th August, 1895.

PUBLIC AUCTION DRAPERY AND OUTFITTING.

HE Undersigned has received Instructions n character to Sell by kinn PUBLIC AUCTION.

TO-DAY (BATURDAY), the 17rm August: 1895, Commencing at 2:30 P.M. eat his Sales Rooms, Duduettl' Street,

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. HE ORDINARY \* HALF YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the OFFICES of the COMPANY, No. 14 PRAYA CENTRAL, on MONDAY, the 19th August at 3 o'crock P.M., for the Purpose of Receiving the Report of the Directors and Cheap and First Class Stationery. the Statement of Accounts to the 30th June,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 19th Angust, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

B. COOKE. Acting General Manager. Hongkong, 29th July, 1895.

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEET ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE. No. 9 Praya Central, on THURSDAY, the 29th August, 1895, at 3 o'clock in the After moon; when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordizary General Meeting held on the 12th August, 1895, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolu-

"That the Capital of the Company be reduced "from \$1.000 000; divided into 20,000 "Shares of \$50 each, to \$200,000, divided "into 20,000 Shares of \$10 each, and that "such reduction be effected by cancelling Capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of \$40 per Share on each of the 14,117 Shares which have been issued and are now outstanding, and by reducing the "nominal amount of all the Bhares in the "Company's Capital from 850 to \$10 per-

Dated the 12th day of August, 1895. BHEWAN & Co. General Managers.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY,

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a Meet-I ing of the Directors of this COMPANY held at the Company's Orpice, Connaught HOUSE, QUEEN'S KOAD CENTRAL, VICTORIA Honokover on FRIDAY, the 2nd August, GENTLEMEN'S DRAPERY, &c. 1895; a final Call of Twenty-five cents per Share was made upon all Members holding Or-ALL WOOL TWEILDS, COATINGS, divery Shares of the Company, and that the

SAXONY FLANNEL TOWELS COUN SEPTEMBER, 189 TERPANES, BLANKETS, OIL CLOTH And Notice is also given that, in accordance Scantlings, Planep. Tongued, and Grooved:

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Also,

Also, SEPTEMBER, 1895; the Holder for the time being DRESS LENGTHS in DE LAINE, of the Share in respect of which the Call shall NUNS VEILING ZEPRYRS. White and have been made shall pay Interest for the same; other DRESS MATERIALS, SURAH at the rate of Ten Dollars per Centum per SILKS LADIES HOSIERY. COTTON Appoint from the said Sed September, 1895, and SIBK "HAND KERCHIEPS: TENNIS: to the time of the actual payment: Sharehelders are requested to note that Scrip

By Order of the Directors:

JAMES BEDUNCAN.

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Houghorig, 15th August, 1895, and and [1702 Hopgkong, 3rd August, 1895, and [1602 Hopgkong, 11th April, 1883,

W. BRHWER, QUEEN'S ROAD, UNDER HONORONG HOTEL Z ELLY & WALSH, LIMITED. Just Published: AN EXCURSION TO THE LOFOU MOUNTAINS, by F. S. A.

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Bisagno, Italian etr., for Singapore.

Java 6th Aug., Sugar.-BUTTERFIELD &

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Aug. 16, CARMARTHENSHIRE, British str., for Napasaki. Aug. 16. CHIYUEN, Chinese str., for Canton. Aug. 16. HATLOONG British str., for Swatow. 16. Horereis, German str., for Saigon, Ang. 16, LERYUEN. Chinese str., for Shaughai Aug. 16. TSINAN, British str., for Shanghai.

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Mr. Whee er VESSELS IN DOCK.

KOWLOON BOOKS .- Deuteros. COSMOPOLITAN DOCK-Chw'nshan. TO-DAY Anotion of Confiscated Stores, &c., at Central Pollos Station, by Mr. J. M. Armstrong, 11 p.m. Augtion of Household Furniture, &c., at No. 12. Knutsford Terrace, Kowlcon, by Mr. J. M. Armstrong, 230 p.m. Auction of Drapery, &c., by Mr. G. P.

Lammert, 2.30 p.m.
Rifle Association Competition, 2.45 p.m.

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CHOPPING OF DOLLARS OBDINANCE.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I beg to move

the second reading of an Ordinaves to prohibit

British dollars. Section 4 (1) of the Hongkoup

Coinage) Order, 1895, renders valid a tender of

British dollars only, where such colos have not

law. A lander of chopped British dollars will

THE THADE MARKS ORDINANCE.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY-I second the

motion. To my mind, although I must confess

i a trade mark is worth anything it is worth

THE MERCHANT SHIPPING CONSOLIDATION

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-There is a

rend the second time with your permission. The

notice has been very short, and it will be for you

is an Ordinance to further smend the Merchant

1891. Under our Merchant Shipping Ordinance

Shipping Consolidation Ordinance, No. 26 of

a master is required to state the number of pas-

have gone on board and been passed by the Exam-

not on the order of the day which I propose

to decide whether we shall proceed with it.

Bill read clause by clause and passad.

Carried.

the defacing or chopping of British dollars,"

Bill read a third time and passed

taking place. (Hear, hear.)

Council regumed.

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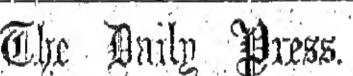
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Honghone, August 17th, 1895. sular report on the trade of Korea for last vear, when the country was the scene rebellion and war. The reports hitherto published by the Chinesa Imperial Maritime Costoms of the trade at the Korean ports bave now, of course ceased to appear, and the greater value therefore attaches to the excellently written report of Mr. W. HITLIER, the Consul. Instead of being pre judically affected by the rebellion and war, the trude of Korea in 1894 exceeded that of any previous year since the country was opened to foreign commerce. Mr. HILLIER thinks the effects of military occupation may possibly show themselves later, and that spring. the commerce of the present year may feel the reaction of last year's experiences, " dur-"ing which so much has happened that "night to paralyse trade:" "But," the Consul adds, "this is a country of sur-"prises, and it contains so many latent "resources which require only encourage-"ment and fair play to develop them, that "sanguine predictions as to the future are "alway justifiable." It appears, too, that the Japanesa occupation has introduced a large amount of money into the country. which is calculated to stimulate trade, and with the establishment of law and order the probability seems rather in favour of a con-

tipued improvement in trade than a falling

In this increase of trade, however, England, it is to be feared, will possess but small share. The most noticeable feature in the import trade last year was the large increase of goods of Japanese manufacture. The Manchester goods, Mr. HILLIER says, are undeniably better than the Japanese copies, but the difference in price is so great said I boped we would not meet for the regular this way. The Imperial Merchant Shipping would ocuse great delay and it might be a great quite apart from the main intention of the Or that the latter bid fair in time to run Man- session until the autamin-October or Novemand likely to prevail, the cheap labour pro- dollar. With regard to the military contribut sent that is one of those legal technicalities which have left the material the colony, or anybody also to attach on their own motion "curable in Japan, the saving which is el- tion the Colonial Secretary will lay upon the are more appreciated to the Police Court and Now, however, if a mester got under weigh an inquiry of the kind. The contribution is fixed provide fands for specific services to the amounts "fected by dispensing with tarpaulin and iron table despatches and papers which, I may men in other courts than by the general public. It with an excess of passengers it would be held inquiry must be left to the Magistrate, and in dollars. " rected by dispensing with tarpaulin and from the person of leaving the waters he must be left to decide what swidence is that he had the intention of leaving the waters he must be left to decide what swing the waters he must be left to decide what swing the waters he must be left to decide what is not. The services to be either executed by the waters he must be left to decide what is not. The character of the person going in a river that he had the intention of leaving the waters he must be left to decide what is not. The character of the colony, or by bers some time ago, and the decimental by the waters he must be left to decide what is not. The character of the colony, or by bers some time ago, and the deciment on behalf of the colony, or by cases for the finer class of goods, and the their consideration. I may also add that the when a men who can say there I had the greatest difficulty in getting this the greatest difficulty in getting the greatest difficulty in getting this the greatest difficulty in getting the greatest diff "diminished out of freight are all powerful Government and the unofficial members are of Canton without paying his fare was prospected in the port clearance; there were so many past into account as revenue, with one, live of the Secretary of State for Wat. "at present the Japanese are under-selling ampted; as they have been in the Straits remedy the River Steamboat Company asked to The Colonial Secretary I think it was rather exaberance of seal The revenue for 1895, less premis on leases, is "Munchoster goods with profits calculated called municipal items, and I shall refer the matmarkets in general as to Korea is particular and the competition is likely to become more and the British dollar you will that these man who did not p with the found that there was an excess of and more keen as the projected Shanohai see a reference in the papers to an Ordinance to hold tickets came here to hold tickets came her mills under foreign auspices come into It is very necessary that this Ordinance and the prevent begars coming here to ill our prisons. In summerating the advantages other two Ordinances on the paper should pass through all their stages this afternoon, and I enjoyed by Japan over Manchester Mr. hope hon, members will consent to that being HILLIER places low exchange first, but he done. mentions also cheap labour, the saving tages of cheap labour, choup packing, and of Ordinance 1 of 1884, Colonial Surgeon's Re- to prevent beggars coming here. They could be present it was impossible to do anything. Is no knowing to what lengths the inquiry might, removing what has been a much vexed question, misuadorate and in present it was impossible to do anything. Is no knowing to what lengths the inquiry might, removing what has been a much vexed question, misuadorate and in present it was impossible to do anything. Is no knowing to what lengths the inquiry might, removing what has been a much vexed question, misuadorate and in present it was impossible to do anything.

| cheap freights there can be no dispute. English metaufacturers have to face the fact that the Far East is becoming a great nothing in view likely to check its progress in this direction. What British manufacturers have to do, if they still wish to exploit the market, is to adapt themselves to the altered circumstances, introducing new goods in the place of those which are now made on the spot and no longer require to be imported.

The N P. steamer. Stroits of Pover arrived at Tacoma on the 14th lust,

The C. P. steamer Empress of Japan arrived at Vancouver at 1 p.m. on Thursday last.

published monthly, has been transformed into a fortnightly paper.

To morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 Church, returning about 12.50.

Rome to the effect that the ratifications of the by Ordinance 5 of 1892, be altered from 81 per able result will be that they will come to be and in answer to questions put to him by his tries were exchanged between the plenipoten. on the valuation of tenements in Mong-kok. the chepping of British dollars will prevent The policy expires in about three or four months. the chepping of the respective powers on the 4th inst. tani at present payable as rates under

Five fishermen were found floating by the to 9 percent." steamship Copie while passing Kagoshims on the 25th ult, and taken to Nagasaki. They were kindly treated by the captain, who gave them food and clothes besides 10 vens They were the only survivors out of 29 who went out high pressure at the beginning of next year,

tome i condisty. Fortunately prompt action paragraph rans:-" In my last annual report I was taken to stop the flames, which was easily stated that Victoria Peak and Gap Rock would done on the river side, and only a few hundred shortly be placed in direct communication with dollars worth of damage was done.

The Kokkai states that a new cho'era hospital is in course of construction at .Hirowo. Azabu. Tokyo, and that it will be placed under the and latterly no observations have been received charge of Dr. Kitasato, who proposes to treat patients according to a new method upon which he has been experimenting since the outbresk of the present epidemic. No particulars of the treatment are given, but it seems to be on the same principle as that elaborated by Dr. Kitalasto in concert with his master, Dr. Roch, in the case of phthisis.

A sad fatal accident terminated a pionic is which a number of Portuguese residents took part. They went in a launch to Samshuipo on Thursday afternoon and some of them went to the Cosmopolitan Docks and commenced to fish near the gates. One of the members was a girl named Ncémi Meria Sequeira, 15 years of age, who was sometime afterwards missed. gearch was at once instituted and at length the dead body of the girl was found in the sea. is supposed that the unfortunate girl accidentally felt off the dock gates An inquest will be held.

With reference to the telegram via Australia to the effect that Japan is about to expend 28,000,000 on the construction of ironoluds in England to increase the Japanese navy, we believe the Japanese Government proposa to order four large ironelids and four large crisers to be built in England. These are in addition Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good to the ships on the model of the Centurion now being built on the Thames and a deniser at Nowcastle-on-Tyng. The vote will first havent be submitted to the National Assembly, but there is little fear of its meeting opposition at the present juncture.

> laid before the Legislative Council yesterday, endorsed by averyone; I would like to suggest | the latter part ves. that when coolies are licensed to carry chairs and run in jurickshas, some consideration should be given to their physical capacity for doing such work. At least a quarter of the coolies so em-The uppleasant experience of having to get out | Consolidation Ordinauce: No. 26 of 1891. of the vehicle and pay the coolie byfore his con-

## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LUNDON, 14th August.

THE CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY At a meeting of the Church Missionary

CENTRAL AFRICA. A German Company hopes to commence the

# HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held yesterday afternoon. Present:-

His Excellency the Governor, Sir WILLIAM RUBINSON, K.C.M.G. -Hon, J. H. STEWART LOOKHART, Colonial

Hon. W. M. GOODMAN, Attorney General. Hon. A. M. TROMSON. Acting Colonial

Hon. F. A. Coopen. Director of Public Works Hon. Commander. W. C. H. HASTINGS, Actng Captain Superintendent of Police.

ion. A. K TRAVERS. Postmaster-General.

Hon. C. P. CHATER. Hon, Ho Kal

Hon. E. R. BELILIOS, C.M.G. Hop. A. McConachin.

Hon, J. J. BELL-IEVING. Mr. J. G. T. BUCKLE, Acting Clerk

THE MILITARY CONTRIBUTION .- STATEMENT His Exception of Gentlemen, when I adwe might have one or two meetings in the mean. almost as applicable to the Eastern he will take the same view of the question at has port of my hon, friend opposite,

Public Works for the first helf of 1895 FIRARCE COMMITTER'S PEFORT The COLONIAL SECRETARY MOVED

manufacturing district and that there is adoption of the report of the proceedings of the Figance Committee. The ACTING COLONIAL TREASURED seconded. PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

> pany to prevent that. The ACTING COLONIAL TREASURER seconded. NEW BY LAWS APPROVED. The COLONIAL BECERTARY moved that two by-laws made by the Sanitary Board be approved. One referred to the adequate provision of water for cattle and the other to the regula-

adoption of the report of the proceedings of the

Public Works Committee.

tion of public laundries. The ATTORNET-GENERAL esconded. Carried.

HOWLOON WATER BUPPLY. The COLONIAL SECRETARY-In moving the resolution that stands in my name I may explain The British North Bornso Herald, hitherto that it refers to the laying on of water in certain districts in Kowloon. The u-ual course adopted when a district which has bitherto been without a water supply has water laid on is the one that is explained in the resolution. I move " (1) been dealt with in any manner prohibited by e'clook, the steam launch Dayspring, carrying That the percentages on the valuation of tenements in Yaumati and Kowloon Point at present therefore, after the passing of this Ordinance. E. Wodehouse resumed the inquiry into the cirhoisting code penuant C., to convey men ashore payable as rates under the Reling Ordinance, desse to be a valid tender, and the list two lines cumstances attending the recent fire at No. 70. to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's) 1888, as amended by Ordinanco 5 of 1892, be al. of this Bill merely insert in the Bill the effect Jervois Street. tared from 101 per ount to 124 per cent. (2) of the Order in Council." I have the Order in Mr. Gadge was present on behalf of the That the percentage on the valuation of tone. Council here. If the law says that the coins Hamburg Bremen Insurance Co. A telegram has been received at the Japan ments in Hunghom at present payable as rates are not to be obopped and people, in spite Mr. Charles Jesumann, insurance clark at Foreign Office from Mr. Teksbirs, Minister at under the Rating Ordinance, 1883, as smended of the law, insist upon shopping then the inevit- Mesers. Carlowits & Co / was the first witness cont. to 102 per cent. (8) That the percentages legal tender. It is not proposed to make any Worship he said he knew the premises in questhe Rating Ordinance, 1888, as smeaded by them from being legal tender in Hongkong. Ordinance 5 of 1.92, be altered from 7 per cent.

The ATTORNAY-GENERAL seconded In answer to his Excellency. The DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS said it was expected that the water would be supplied at once it received at the hands of the figurated at the time of the insurance. In a business. THE PUBLICATION OF STORM WARNINGS

The premises of Measts Muitland & Co., Limited. the following question. In the report of the much indebted to him for his advice and assist. property they usually took an average of the were set fire to at one o'clock this marning by i irector of the Observatory for 1894 the tourth, ance in this particular matter. the Observatory. This improvement has not yet been effected, and the wind observations made at Victoria Peak are often received too smend the Trade Marks Ordinaces (No. 16 the premises since the fire, but found nothing late for insertion in the China Coast Register, of 1873 and 8 of 1888). There are two reasons suspicions at the time. The stock in the shop autil about 2.30 p.m. and frequently later than to prevent applications in future being made it was insured; in his opinion it was much less. this each day. This apparently arises to a great through the Secretary of State for the Colonies. The stock at the time he inspected it prior to the extent from the roundabout method by which It will be remembered that at one time all insurance was worth about \$10,000 and it was the observations are forwarded to the United applications for registration of fred marks had to now worth about \$7,000 or \$8,000. He removed Telegraph Offices in Queen's Road for trans be made through him. This proceeding led to the policy in June, 1895, but on this occasion mission to the Observatory. The importance of a difficulty, because owing to the remarkable flue. there was no inspection of the premises. The the wind observations from Victoria Peak has tuations in the value of the dollar, which were property was insured for three years, but the frequently been insisted on by me, but their not always taken into account, a sheque was very policy was renewed yearly. In answer to hi trunsmission." In view of the great importance dollar, and as this was altogether disproper. diminution of the slock was a suspicious port, and the impossibility of the Director of fore the Secretary of State decided that it would time what was the value of the stock in the casts unless supplied with the wind observations Governor of the colony. Another reason for The accurrant of that statement could be ascerpromptly, may I ask if steps have since been the Bill is to provide that proger notice of ap- tained at any time. He did not find anything sion of such observations from the Peak and so that persons objecting to them may have \$2,000. The clothes were insured for \$600 and Gip Rock to the observatory, sad to whose as opportunity of lodging their objections were kept in Chinese being put neglect was due the delay in carrying into prior to the granting of such explications and different parts of the boase. He did not in thorough effect so obviously necessary a system this was granted at the request of the Chamber spect the clothe particularly when he insured

> Observatory: (Applause). Hon. E. R. BELILIOS-Thank you.

THE PLANS FOR THE NEW GOVERNMENT

Hop. E. R. BELILIOS then asked the following question, of which he had given notice at the tunity of applying to their principals in Eng. examined the premises with a view to accertainprevious meeting-Is it the intention of the land and take advice as to whether they should ing the origin of the fire, but could find no traces. Government to invite competitive designs from oppose the granting of such a trade mark in He did not find anything sur icious until after local architecta for the proposed new Government offices, or do the Government propose that more than one per cent. of the applications—as that he regarded so suspicious. Altogether the the designs shall be prepared and the work for as I remember there were only two cases in clothes were insured for \$600. The Colonial Surgeon, in his annual report | carried out by the Public Works Department ? makes the following anggestion, which will be to the former part of the question is no, and to cancel the registration—as therewas such a small | the insurance office and informed them that he

BILLS READ A PIRST TIME. The following Bills were, on the motion of the ATTORNEY-GENERAL seconded by the COLONIAL SECRETARY, read the first time; -The River matter of this kind, which periodicity conployed are quite unfit for it, and that they are Steamers Ordinance; an Ordinance to prohibit corns the Chamber of Commerce. I thought tained stock of the value of a thousand dollars and so is patent to the most canual observer and the defacing or chopping of British dollars; an their wishes should be consulted and all cometimes more. At the time of the fire it conneeds no professional opinion. If they were Ordinance to amend the Trade Marks Ordinance, lowed if possible. Therefore it granting this tained a thousand dollars worth of goods. He horses their owners would be pounced upon at (Nos. 16 of 1278 and 8 of 1886), and an Ordin- Bill I have done so in order to comply with had not been in the shop since the fire. once for cruelty to animals and prosecuted. acce to further smend the Merchant Shipping the request of the Chamber of Commerce. The BILL WITHDRAWN.

with the reading of the Ordinance to repeat vertisement would have to be of a descrip-Ordinance No. I of 1864 entitled "An Ordin- nature. I think if it was advertised for a pari d ance to provide for conversion of British of not less than three months there would be currency in all payments by or to the Govern. levery opportunity, for those who think there ment." The Ordinance in question. No. 1 of is anything wrong to go to the Celonial Score-1864, has already been repealed by Her Mujesty's lary's office where they could make any objection. Order in Council. Under the charter of the colony Her Majesty reserves to herself independent power of legislation with the advice of her I have not had much experience in trade marks. Privy Conneil: and as by an order of Her Majesty in Privy Council this Ordinance has advertising in the papers, and I should think stready been repealed it is unnecessary for us to there would be no objection on that score. repeal it again by action in the Legislative Connoil. As a matter of fact it cossed to be in

force lest February. The COLORIAL SECRETARY—I bog to secon construction of a Central African railway next I may mention that I have laid upon the table the dispatch of the Secretary of State bearing upon the subject.

The Standing Orders were then enspended. THE RIVER STRAMERS OBDINANCE. The ATTORNEY-UNDERAL-I beg to move the second rending of the River Steamers O din ance. The Bill is an exceedingly simple one and consists of only two clauses. The first clause songers he proposes to carry on his projected defines a river steamer, and it is the definition given to a river steamer under the local Shipping Act. The second clause provides that juing Officer somebody-Ldo not suppose it is "If any person travels, or attempts to travel wither the owner or master intentionally, but somein, any river steamer without paying his body has been in the habit of introducing perhaps and any such person so found on board may be the port clearance. The Protector of Chinose at being careful on that point is that

keen as the projected Shanghai see a reference in the papers to an Ordinance to hold tickets came here to increase the criminal

Bill read a second time. As to the influence of low ence to the Military Contribution, Acting Assess and put the ratepayers to the expense of detain-

port for 1894, and a report on the progress of adopt a very simple precaution by putting someone | The other day a German steamer was found have retended and what other side invite might on the gangway at Canton. A beggar itinerates, with 112 passengers on board in expect of the have been raised. The Ordinance allows people homor to be interested to examine witnesses with the permission interested to examine witnesses with the permission. There was no innocence about that. one also, and by preventing him from coming to the colony a great boon would be conferred upon Hongkong. It has been considered by us whe-

swer to Hou. A. McConnchie, said a master's liable that I object to the inquiry being made complete lities commenced the moment be weighed anchor but that I merely wish to conduct it on proper and it would be a very good thing for a master, lines, from point to point up to the final issue. ther it would not be necessary to make some provisions whereby boggars should be taken bank to Canton by those persons who brought them if he found after starting that he had got an The inquiry is now closed and the premises re-The DERCTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS moved the bere, but I trust it will not be advisable to reexcess of passengers on board, to be able to stop leased from supervision. his ship and communicate with the police in Mr. Godga-Your Worship will perhaps sllow of 5th October last, I have the bonour to transsort to any such legislation. It is quite possithe barbour, and so get rid of the me to make a few remarks on what you said just mit to you the spelosed smended so hedule of ble, with proper cara, for the Steambout Comexcess passengers. A new principle was not now as to my conduct in addressing your Wor- Harrack services required at Hongkong, together being introduced; it was only a question of prov. ship the other day. You fild that my argu- with an extract from a letter from the Wer , Hon. M. R. Buttutos-On behalf of th ing the case without the incovenience of monte were forced agon you to such an ext of as Office to the Tressury, explaining the meces-ity calling people from Singapore and so that the nearly amounted to disrespect I would point out of adding the provision of a new Bospital to the all measures to provent anything of that kind law should not be a dead letter owing to that to your Worship that it matters nothing to me list of services previously put forward.

| law should not be a dead letter owing to that to your Worship heard that evi. 2—It is proposed that the execution of these inconvenience.

Bill went through all its stages and passod. ADJOURNMENT. I to the excellency—I am very glad to be able I to the connect that owing to the kind assistance have already appended to the Bill my reasons for I have received from unofficial members I can it, and they are ... The object of the Ordinance again adjourn the Council sine dis-

#### FIRE INQUIRY.

of the Police Court vesterday the Hou.

The Culonial Sconerasy-I beg to second. insured. The shop contained generally obean On behalf of the Government I think it is only cotton goods and place goods. He had inspected right it should be stated that in considering this | the premises since-about four minths agoquestion-which is not at all an easy one—the | and according to his opinion the goods in Government was much industed to the assist the shop then corresponded fairly with those institutions in the colony and also in England of this kind the goods necessarily varied from I also specially mention the pame of Mr. T. time to time, but there would never be such a Jackson, who has had a vast experience in the difference as \$1,000. The permanent stock Hon. E. B. Balillos-I beg to give meeting of Council I shall put currecev of the East, and the Government is would be worth about \$10,000. In insuring the "stock in trade" and consequently sometimes the The Bill went through all its stages and passed. goods were of less value than the insurance policy, and sometimes a little more. They The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I beg to move determined the voluntion by the general mainte the second reading of the Ordinance to of the business done. He had inspected for the introduction of this Bill. The first is | was not of the same value as at the time when value is at once discounted through the delay in often made payable at the rate of 4/2 to the Wership as to whether he considered the of the storm warnings to the shipping of the tionate the amounts had to be adjusted. There, circumstance, witness eatd he asked at the the Observatory giving accurate weather fore: be better to have all applications made to the shop and was informed that it was worth \$9,000. taken to ensure the early and regular transmis- plications to the Governor shill be given, wrong with the fittings, which were insured for of Commerce. The period first fired for lodging them but made only a general inspection. N The COLONIAL SECRETARY-I beg to snawer objections was two months, but his was after claim whatever had been made so far with rethat question at once by informing the hon. wards thought to be rather long and it gard to the clothes boxes, and in that one member that the Peak and Telegraph Office are was changed to one month or such f rther would be easy to make an estimate of the full now in direct communication, and that early time not exceeding three maths as the value of the clothes remaining, is could observations are telegraphed across to the Controller might allow. It is auggested only find three boxes on the permises, and three by the Chamber of Commerce that there were empty. The first floor of the shop was not should be an interval of three menths between destroyed by the fire. In answer to his Worship the application and the granting of it, because witness said if a house was insured it was inif the agents out here suspected that there was combent on the owner to save is much stock as something wrong they might have an oppor- possible before the fire became too fierce.

this colony. I at first thought that us in not the fire, and the clothes were the only thing 130 applications made during lest year and the The master of the abop was then called and The COLONIAL SECRETARY—The answer to year before in which the Governor was asked to examined by his Worship. He said he went to percentage of objections. I thought that it was had piece goods, worth \$10,000, referring genea pily ninety nine should be deliged for so long a rally to the conter to of the shop. On the first time is order that the hundredti might be pre- floor there was a centre place for goods not so vanted from taking his trade nick. But in a valuable and behind this was a box containing Mr Gedge-I should like to ask some ques

applications must be advertised but we do want tions with regard to the clothes. I suggest to make them too expensive. One difficulty that your . Worship should ask whether the tract is carried out has occurred to many people The ATTORNEY-GENERAL Sir, I propose might arise. I do not quite sechow a fac simile clothes belonged to the fokies; of course, we with your permission not to proceed any further of a trade mark can be seen. I presume the ad. don't insure fokies clothing, we only insure his

shop on the night of the fire and did not know who was in the shop. Mr. Gedge wished to put another question; but his Worship refused to allow him to ex amine the witness further.

The assistant accountant at the shop was then alled and said he was in charge of the shop on the night of the fire. Questioned as to the clothes to said be had five boxes himself in the third room on the top floor, and these were included in the boxes which were issured. He valued his own clothes at \$500. The boxes were insured for \$2 100 - (Mr. Gedge mentioned that the first witness made a mintake; he should barn stated that he insured the clothes for \$2,100. and the forniture and fittings for \$300).-The boxes had not been removed since the fire. Mr. Gedge-Will your Worship sek him -or

slow me to-about the proprietor's clothing. His Worship-You may ask him. The witness, is answer to the question. the last witness had one trunk and one box of clothes in the shop. Witness himself had clothing to the value of \$500, but that which he was wearing was only worth about 36. yoyage. In some instances after the immigrante i This concluded the avidence and his Worship in closing the enquiry said-I should like to say

word or two with regard to the view I entertalp of the Fire Inquiry Ordinance. I dare say it will have been noticed more than once that I or shetting him shall be liable to a penalty comparing the number of immigrants who have introducing examination of witnesses with not exceeding \$25 and in default of pay gone on board at Hongkong and been taken, say, regard to the contents of shops at the ment to imprisonment with or without hard to Singapore, with the number on the document time of fire unless such questions are pu labour for a period not excueding one month; required to be given by the master to procure by myself. The chief reason that I have for taken before a Magistrate without warrant and Singapore had found out that these extra persons frequently happens that the state of the consuch Magistrate may summarily hear the case bad not passed the immigration officer, and there. tents of the shop is a very pertinent fact of and on proof of the offence convict the offender fore somebody had chested the Government of material importance when suspicious sirenmas aforesaid." This Bill is brought forward at 25 cents for the examination. You might say stances exist, the main object of the longuiry is to the special request of the River Steamboat Com. "Why don't you prosecute the master ?" But you ascertain the cause of fire; and unless therefore pany. They feel they have a hardship in that have got to prove your case; you have got to prove there are suspicious circumstances I am doubtful. they have no means of panishing persons that acertain member of passengers did arrive at how far it is proper to use this Ordinance as a who board their steamers at Canton and when Singapore, and affidavite would be useless, because hundle on behalf of the insurance companies they get to Hongkong decline to pay the they are not received as evidence in criminal to investigate their claims and to find out through fare, If a person refuses to pay a ricksha cases. The officer from Singapore would have these inquiries what they are to pay and what conlie's fare the coolie prosecutes him at the to come here to prove that he saw a number of they are not. It seems to me rather to be di-Police Court, but the Steamboat Company persons going off the steamer in excess of the verting the Ordinance to uses not intended, and have no such remedy. The matter arose in humber stated in the port elearance. That to be driving the inquiry late other channels. Act has two sections dealing with the subject and inconvenience for a Government officer to leave dinance, which is to inquire into the cause of fire. ous of them provides that if a person secretes Singapore, come here to give evidence, and then Therefore when at times I decline to admit the himself and goes to see in a ship without go back again. It seems to me that the evidence, it is always with that feeling in mind. do so, but they are already doing time. When I made that statement I had in obtaining consent he shall be lighte to a penalty addition of the words "attempt to leave" the At these inquiries I must decline to allow it low rate of exchange prevailing my mind the first question of the military con- of \$20 or imprisonment. The question arose as waters of the colony would be sufficient to meet to be considered a right on the part of any tribution and the second question of the British to whether a river steamer ever really went to the law only representing the insurance companies been taken in the Straits Set lements, and as is Hon. E. R. Belliton In suggesting this Pribataries in that respect, and I think you examination on his own account is to confuse the amount (\$384,000) provided by the Appropriation of which in vested in the Crown represented by prevent the defacing or chopping of the count. list of the colony, and I think the Bill will grants, and this Bill is a step in that direction, such evidence I merely say that I decline at receipts over the catimate, a farther payment of lands in certain colonies—since my predeceasor's Hou A. McConsonin asked how a captain the p int rose in cross-examination; but cross-examin The "TOENET-GENERAL One more re- was to protect himself? These people were examination must be on evidence that has been adjusted by deducting 175 per cent of the deficit ing with such lands when no longer required

mark is necessary. I trust that the facilities put on board and stowed away is all sories of previously given and cannot be deried out on from the first installed by of previously given and cannot be deried out on from the first installed by of military purposes has not been elearly given to the Company to punish and put into corners. It was an impossibility for the captain points not yet raised during the inquiry. The tion. A similar course can be followed in each understood. The Colonial Secretary laid the following of documents on the table—Despatches with referlow ence to the Military Contribution, Acting Assessand put the rate payers to the expense of detain.

2.—Her Majerty's Government have carefully and put the rate payers to the proposity of the passengers, and put the rate payers to the expense of detain.

2.—Her Majerty's Government have carefully reconsidered the question and have decided to reconsidered the question and have decided to the proposity has, I think, astisfactorily disconnected with the state parties if a permanent Ordinance were passed adhere to the proposition of the connected with the state parties. If a permanent Ordinance were passed adhere to the proposition and put the rate payers to the colonial

when I refuse to allow certain evidence to be In Committee the ATTORNEY-GENERAL in an- given-in that way it will be understood it is not

> dence or not I am instructed by my clients and I works should be spread over ten years beginning am paid to come here and make the request, and I with the current year, and that the cost of the submit that I did request, with all respect, that works should be provided in the following manyour Worship would allow the evidence. You re- der, vis. that the colony should in accordance freed to allow it, and I was prepared for that with my Circular despatch of Oth December refusal before I came, and I was instructed that last, devote the value of any military lands if you did refuse I was to prose, with all respect, and buildings that may now be carrendered by arguments intended to change your opinion. I the War Department, so far as it will extend in am sorry your Worship should think there was veduction of the gross cost of the scheme, includany disrespect; I did not intend it at all, and if jug the coat of any new sites that may be rethere was, sa you said, any exuberance of seal, quired, and that he remainder of the cost should it was seal for the insurance company which I be divided in the proportion of two-thirds to the represent in order to prevent frond and protect Imperial Government and one-third to the

lready said, and the promises are released.

THE MILITARY CONTRIBUTION

The following despatch's with reference to the military contribution and barrack accom modation for the garrison at Hongkong, were divided between the Imperial and Colonial aid before the Legislative Council yesterday .-MEMBER, LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 2nd August, 1895. Intere cases Sir,-I am directed by His Excellency the . 4 -- It is intended to provide \$5,000 to the

You will learn from this despatch that Her Majesty's Government has decided to fix this to the value to be paid for by the colony, i.e., ohe vis., 17t par cent of revenue of the colony 15-17 of the enclosed letter, is a detail which exclusive of the proceeds of land sales or premia will leave to you to arrange in consultation with

1895 is concerned, that the contribution will be claimy the plans and estimates of all the new \$353,000 there or theresbouts instead of \$384,000 buildings as you will have learned from the letter as provided in the Appropriation Ordinance. dinance should be passed appropriating 174 per October last, and if you are musble to come to am cent, of the Colonial revenue to the use of the agreement with the General upon any point, Imperial Government as a military contribu- I have to request you to refer the question to lebate a question which in the past has given instructed to refer such points to the War Office, rise to rome verstion and irritation tion and trusts that it will recommend Itself upon such points of difference. I have the

I am also to forward to you for your a mideration a copy of a farther despatch from Lord Ripon enclosing an amended schedule of "Barrack Services " required in the colony in consequence of the increased garrison stationed here. It will be observed that the expenditure on

this account will be divided in the proportion two-thirds to the Imperial and one-third to the Colonial Government, and Jant, the expenditu will be aproad over a period of ten years. The contribution from the colony for 18 will be \$25,000, and the Governor has been structed to lake a vote for that amount at early date. These works will doubtless invol a very large expenditure in the colony, whi will directly benefit a large number of cantra tors and many members of the inbouring classe and this expenditure will also indirectly bene the revenue of the colony,

I am to call your special attention to pai graphs 2, and 3 of this despatch and to enclo at the same time in elucidation thereof a copy the Secretary of State's Circular Despatch the 30th December last.

His Excellency the Governor proposes to c a meeting of the Legislative Council about t middle of this menth in order to pass the Ordi ance and to take the vote referred to in th letter, and he confidently anticipates that y and the anofficial members will agree to the measures, and will support the Imperial Gover ment generally in a matter which is of the gree est importance from an Imperial as well as Colouist point of view. I shall be obliged if after a full considerati

of these documents you will announce to up t His Excellency's information the conclusions. which you have arrived. -I have the honour be, sir, your most obedient servant. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART. Colonial Becretary.

he Houourable C. P. Chater, Senior Uneffit Mamber, Legislative Council.

SECRETARY OF STATE TO THE GOVERNOL

Sir. - With reference to the last paragraph to the military contribution. I have the hono to inform you that Her Majesty's Governmen although bitherto adhering to the principle t the contribution, whatever its amount, should fixed for the time being in sterling, have never lost sight of the fact that it could not consistently with the efficient administration of civil affairs, exceed a certain percentage of revenue. and that if at any time through a diminution of receipts or a fall in the exchange value silver, the percenture assumed of the signing demand would arise tribution of Hongkong has fallen consider treated in such a structure, especially at sea, ably short of what the Home Government in

revenue, namely, one of between 17 and 18 per so variable. cont.; and even in 1894 it barely reached 17 per cent. As regards the current year, however, should be provided for the treatment of infecowing to the continued low rate of exchange, the thereof, such person and overy person siding sed at all. The only way this is found out is by sutertain considerable doubt of the propriety of continued at the present rate of reception of lunation.

fix the contribution in future at a certain proportion, vis. 171 per cont. of the revenue of the ment which is the most likely to be accentable to all parties, and which can be adopted without her therefore now brooms a service of pressing an andre sacrifice of the claims of the taxpayers argency, and Mr. Secretary Campbell-Benner-

3.-The expedient of fixing a proportion of viously put forward. hope, prevent any further feeling of uncerthe rights of the Home Government as offectually dence which should be attached to the services as the expedient of fixing the amount for some | The list includes the hospital, years shead, which was that adopted in my predec. stor's despatch No. 8 of 20th January. 1890. In adobtisiz the decision above indicated. Her Majesty's Government have been largely in about \$1,177 annually, will be for payment in flusheed by the consideration that so long as sterling for athres which will probably be necesthe contribution is fixed in sterling the cary to send out from Hagland continued autoritainty in the matter of exchange | 16 - In regard to the mode of execution Mr. is estoulated to cause a greater dislocation in the | Secretary Campbell-Bannerman would approve finances of the colony than would be caused to that the best ourse would be for the colony to

opinion that although there is a sensible reduct before the Magistrate it was bold that sengers in excess. This measure, I think, will opposite argument forced upon me as almost to exception, vis., the proceeds of haid sales, or the side of Japan in her com- tion in the contribution proposed there are ser- the Ordinance did not apply to such a case, which are not apply to such a case, which are not apply to such a case, which are not the Ordinance did not apply to such a case. petition with England and America, and tain items of the revenue which anght to be ex- The result wen that as there is no satisfactory prosecution will doubtless put an end to the evil. willing to consider that any disconnect was in- but the proceeds of the sale of capital assets. 15 to 30 per cent." These re- ler to the Secretary of State in the hope that and I feel sure that the bill will receive the sup-Emigration is one of the most important out, and to allow any interested puris to start an this year to that amount in lieu of the maximum buildings—that is to say, lands the fee almole

there may possibly be some sor's Report or the Assessment for 1895 90, Pest ing beggare in prison. I trust that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an innocent man of the first that adequate Poi ice said it was possible for an ice said it was possible for an ice said it was possible for an i

honnar to be sir your most abedient, humble

Governor Siz W. Robinson, K.C.M.G., &c.,

(SECRETARY OF STATE TO THE GOVE INCL.) Downing Street.

3rd April, 1895. Sir. - With reference to my desintch No. 162

Colonial Government, that belog about the His Worship-The enquiry is blosed, as I have proportion in which the cost of the new fortifications of Honghong were divided between the two Governments

3.-This proposal, which is, in my opinion, fair and reasonable, is a special arrangement made in view of the large expenditure involved in providing the necessity berrack accommodation for the iccreased garrison, and the fact that in this was the cost of the provision of new sites is included in the total charge to be Governmenta instead of being wholly charged COLONIAL SECRETARY TO SENIOR UNOFFICIAL to the colony in socurdance with paragraph 12 of my circular of 80th December lest must not be regarded as a precedent applicable in

Governor to transmit to you, for the considers army antimates for 1895-6 towards the expense lion of yourself and your colleagues in the diture incurred on these works during this year. Legislative Council, a copy of a despatch from the and I have to request you to bring the matter decretary of State for the Colonies in regard to before the Legislative concellat an early date: he military contribution to be paid by Hong- and to propose a supplementary vote of say kong towards the support of the Imperial gar. \$25,000 to cover the colonial share of this year s. 5.-The question of the execution of services

contribution in fature at a certain proportion, third of the network, as referred to in paragraphs the General Officer Commending the Troops. The effect of this will be, so far as the year . 6 .- You will be given an opportunity of oritito the General Officer Commanding, a copy of Lord Ripon suggests that a permanent Or- which accompanied my despatch No. 16! of 5th ion, thus removing from the areas of public me, as the General General Commanding has been so that I may be in a position to come to an His Expellency fully concurs in this suggest agreement with the Secretary of State for War unanimously to the unofficial members of honour to be, ir, your most obedient, humble

Gevernor Bir W. Robinson, K.U.M.G., &c., &c.,

ESTIMATE FOR BARRACK WORKS TOR ACCOMMODAT-

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Service.	Esti-	Esti-	of pre-
Berracks for Honglong Regiment at Kowloon, availables of Engages	( ws 200	414 947	In hand
exclusive of European officers' quarters Hospital to replace ex-	)		
isting hospital ship	87,200	234,947	E
Hospitel for Asiatics, Rowleon	22/0.4	69,474	2
Barracks at Kowloon for 2 officers, 134 men, Europeans	15,000	101,053	3
Barracks for Royal Ar- tillery at Lyemeon	8,850	55,895	Branch .
Purchase of Lazaretto	8,150	19,835	pleted.
Barracks for Royal Ar- tillary at Stomeoutters' Island	8,000	50,526	In hand
Quarters for hereased number of warrant officers (S)	2,800	14,526	
officers (8) Quarters for increased number of staff-eer- geants, sergeents and rearried men (88)	21,600	135,421	5 for an half ac 8 for th 2nd half
Quarters for Quarter- master, Ifa. try	1 7 500	9,474	9
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Sergeants meet and re- creation room, Vic- toria Barrasta	2,000	12,631	11
Gymnasium for Euro- pean troops	2,500	15,789	12
Alterations to F block,	1,709	10,737	15
Queen's Boad bar- racks for Chiass sub- marine miners	200	L,263	6
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EXTRACTS FROM A LETTER PROM THE W. OFFICE TO THE TREASURY. HONGEONG 2:4630; Diren 20th December, 1894. 

2.—The Medical Authorities at the station but | have recently made atrong representations in the matter contending that the time has now come when dismost can no longer be properly and in such a climate as that of Hongkong. 1890 considered a reasonable proportion of the where the temperature and other conditions are 3.-It is also necessary that separate wards

> tions diseases and for the steb; as well as for the 4. -At present, cases of small pox, searlet fever, and diphtheria have to be treated as best they can, no official secommodation having been pro-

5 .- The provision of a bospital on shore -- to graph of the War Off a letter before quotedman finds it messeary to add this to the list pre-

6 .- Mr. Campbell-Hannerman -- having regard to the subsequent correspondence—bas had a tainty and dissatisfaction, and will safeguard the fresh list prepared, showing the order of prese-

15. Of the amount to be found by the colony

BECRETARY OF STATE TO THE GOVERNOR Downlag Street. 30th December, 1894.

Sir,-From correspondence which has taken

2.-Her Majuty's Government have carefully

there may possibly be some and the imperial Governments in Lord Knotsford's Circular of opinion, but as to the advantable of the advantable of the state of the s

15.-Police Station Ct. 10 - Peak Club 8 .- Peak Hospital 29.-Peak Hotel 51.—Ray & Davies 103 - Royal Engineer 2.-Hartigan Cantillo and 4.-Rumsey, Cmdr., Res. WHITE WINE. 94 .- Basmoon, & Co., M. 99.—Schellhast & Co. Ed. 49. Shewan & Co. 100. Sperry Flour Co. 16.-Watson & Co., A. S 88.—Yuen Fat Hong 79 .- Young Larn Kee. W. STUART HARRIBON. Manaper.

St. Julien Medoo ... TIURNITURE WAREHOUSE. WHITE WINE. Haut Sauternes ..... 34.50 LI KWONG LOONG. CABINET-MAKER AND ART DECORATOR. BURGUNDY. FURNITURE STORE RED WINE. Beaune ..... 8.00 Chambertin ...... 12.00 No S, WYNDHAN STREET. The only Shop in Hongkoug with this name, Where HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE of every description can be made to order in any Chatlis ...... 11.00 design required. Apply to Has been patronised by the Hongkong Club. G. GIRAULT: 1544 Hongkong, flotel, Measrs A. S. Watson & Co., Ld. and other leading Establishments in the Hamirking, 28th July 1895. Colony, to whom reference may be made as to FOR SALE OR HIRE. the Superior Workmanship and Materials of the THE Steam Launch "FOOKSANG," of Farniture, &c., supplied. Mesurs. A. S. Watson & Co. write as follows :--49.71 Tons Gross Register. Langth 80 ft. We have pleasure in atating that Mr. LI by 18 ft. 6 in. by 6 ft. 5 in. Built of Teak to February, 1894. Materially "KWONG LOONG fornished the Annexe "to our Dispensary and gave us every satis-Constructed and Well Pitted for Exencion. " faction. Towing, and other Purposes. (8d.) " A. S. WATSON & Co., Ld," For Full Particulars, apply to ORDERS panetually attended to and CHERGES WO KEE & Co., 12. Praya West. most moderate. 1895. 1894 AN INS AN INSPECTION INVITED. Hongkong, 16th August, 1805. Hongkong 4th February, 1895. VEE SANG LEY TING. CCAL MERCHANTS. have always on hand LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP TION OF COAL. Aldries :-- Care of Mesere: Kwong Bang & Co. No. 68 PRAYA.

NOT CLS TO CONSIGNEES OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "IXION" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consigness risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on Goods undelivered after the 19th inst. will be anbject to Rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at Il A.M. on the 21at inst BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkoug, 14th Angust, 1895. 3rd inst. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Acting Sup

VESSELS EXPECTED. THE PREVER MAIL The M.M. steamer Notal, with the French mail of the 19th July, left Singap re on Tuesday, the i3th instant lkp.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 20 h inst. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 12th June.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Arratoon Apear, from Coloutte, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of the 13th just.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The P. M. steimer City of Piking, with the American mall, left San Fraucisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama and Augusak, on the The P. M. steemer China, with the American mail sleft San Francisco for this port via Yokohama and Nagazaki on the 13th inst.

MERCHANT STEAMERS. The N. G. I. steamer Letimbr. 1-ft Bombry for this port ouethe lith instant, and may be expected here on or about the 23 h limit. The. P. & O. steamer Mentle left Singapore for this port on the 12th inst., at 3 p.m. The P. & O. steamer Canton left London for this port on the 4th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

PEAR DELIVERY closes at Post Office at 11.30 a.m and 3 p.m. or in Latter ores in the Cars by 12 and S.30 o'clook 'l'rams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 a: d 4 p.n. The Postal Guida for 1895, revised to date instructions are given to the contrary before will be found in the Chronicle and Directory, P. XX. This is the only authorise i complete Goods not cleared by the 17th inst. at 4 Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in All Damaged Packages must be left in the connection with this paper is the one published Godowns and notice of same given to the Un. twice each day in our Extra. which is dorreute i deraigned, when a representative of this Office to a much later hour than that given below. A MAIL WILL GLOSE.

For Halphoug .- Per Hanoi, to-day, the 17th inst , at 11 30 A.M. For Robe, Tokohama and Port and Oregion. -Per Chittagong, to-day, the 17th inst., at 1..0 For Manila -- Per Tuencang, to-day, the 17.h 17th inst, at 4.80 P.M.

For Manila Per Esmeraldu, today, the For Hollow, Singapore and Bangkok,-Per. Loosob, to-day, the 17th inst, at 5 00 P.M. For Tientsin .- Per Knongsang, on Monday, the 19th inst. at 3 30 P.M. For Chefoo and Tientein - Per Fa Ping. on Monday, the 19th inst., at 4 30 P. For Singapore. Penang and Calcut's .- Per Wingsung, on Tuesday, the 20th inst., at 2.30

For Singapore, Samarang, and Sourabaya -Per Cromarty, on Taesday, the 20th just, at For Singapore and London .- Per Glaufenia. on Wedberday, the 21st inst., at 330 F M. For Singapora and London -Per O pack, on Thursday, the 22nd inst., at 4.90 P M. For Shanghai, Koba, Yokohamu, Victoria. and Tacoma - Per Strathnevis, on Tuesday, the 27th inst., at 11.80 A.M. . For Singapore and London .- Per Glanavon, on Passday, the Srd September, at 3.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Rio goods are being landed at their risk into the de Janeiro will be despatched on SATURUAY. Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf the 17th August, with biails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honofulu. Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless 11.00 A.M. Registry ceases. 1.30 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence

may be posted on board the l'asket with Late Fee of 10 cents extra postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Caledon ien will e despatched on WEDNESDAL the 21st August, with Mails for the United Kingdom. Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles: to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Barrents, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies. Poudichory, Madras, Ca outto. Aden, Mauritius, Lugget, Malta, and Gibraltar ... The usual hours will be observed in closing

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Houghong, 13th August, 1895.

General Managers.

on TUESDAY, the 20th instant, at 3 P.M.

Bongkong, 13th August, 1895,

THE Company's Steamship

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FROM CALCUTTA

(MESSES, BULLARD, KING & Co.'s LINE.)

THE Undersigned having been appointed GENERAL AGENTS in CHINA and

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